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- 3 By Senator Figures (Constitutional Amendment)
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8	SYNOPSIS: This bill would propose a constitutional
9	amendment to provide for the transfer of the assets
10	and liabilities of the Water Works and Sewer Board
11	of the City of Prichard to the Board of Water and
12	Sewer Commissioners of the City of Mobile,
13	presently known as the Mobile Area Water and Sewer
14	System.
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16	A BILL
17	TO BE ENTITLED
18	AN ACT
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20	Relating to Mobile County; to propose a
21	constitutional amendment to provide for the transfer of the
22	assets and liabilities of the Water and Sewer Board of the
23	City of Prichard to the Board of Water and Sewer Commissioners
24	of the City of Mobile, presently known as the Mobile Area
25	Water and Sewer System.
2.6	BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA.

Section 1. The following amendment to the Constitution of Alabama of 1901, as amended, is proposed and shall become valid as a part thereof when approved by a majority of the qualified electors voting thereon and in accordance with Sections 284, 285, and 287 of the Constitution of Alabama of 1901, as amended:

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## PROPOSED AMENDMENT

- (a) Within 90 days after the ratification of this amendment, the assets and liabilities of the Water Works and Sewer Board of the City of Prichard shall be transferred to the Board of Water and Sewer Commissioners of the City of Mobile, presently known as the Mobile Area Water and Sewer System. The transfer shall include all assets of the Water Works and Sewer Board of the City of Prichard and shall be conditioned upon the assumption or discharge by the Board of Water and Sewer Commissioners of the City of Mobile, presently known as the Mobile Area Water and Sewer System, of all liabilities of the Water Works and Sewer Board of the City of Prichard, including, without limitation, all indebtedness, contracts, and retirement obligations. Any assumption of obligations by the Board of Water and Sewer Commissioners of the City of Mobile, presently known as the Mobile Area Water and Sewer System, shall be evidenced by resolution of that board.
- (b) Upon transfer of its assets and liabilities pursuant to subsection (a), the Water Works and Sewer Board of the City of Prichard shall be dissolved.

1 Section 2. An election upon the proposed amendment shall be held in accordance with Sections 284 and 285 of the 2 Constitution of Alabama of 1901, now appearing as Sections 284 3 and 285 of the Official Recompilation of the Constitution of Alabama of 1901, as amended, and the election laws of this 5 6 state. 7 Section 3. The appropriate election official shall assign a ballot number for the proposed constitutional 8 amendment on the election ballot and shall set forth the 9 10 following description of the substance or subject matter of 11 the proposed constitutional amendment: 12 "Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of 13 Alabama of 1901, to provide for the transfer of the assets and liabilities of the Water Works and Sewer Board of the City of 14 15 Prichard to the Board of Water and Sewer Commissioners of the City of Mobile, presently known as the Mobile Area Water and 16 17 Sewer System. "Proposed by Act ." 18 19 This description shall be followed by the following 20 language:

"Yes ( ) No ( )."

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